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Re: New U.S. Patent Application (Continuation-in-Part of PCT/FR02/00044)

Title: COSMETIC COMPOSITION HAVING A PASTY TO
PULVERULENT TEXTURE AND THE COSMETIC USE
THEREOF

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Sir:

We enclose the following papers for filing in the United States Patent and Trademark Office in connection with the above patent application.

1. Application - 39 pages, including title page and abstract, and including 5 independent claims and 63 claims total.
2. Information Data Sheet (2 pgs.).
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Basic Application Filing Fee						\$ 750.00
	Number of Claims		Basic	Extra Claims	Rate	
Total Claims	63	-	20	43	X \$ 18	\$ 774.00
Independent Claims	5	-	3	2	X \$ 84	\$ 168.00
<input type="checkbox"/> Presentation of Multiple Dependent Claim(s)					+ \$ 280	= 0.00
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\$ 942.00 additional claims fee.

Applicant claims the right to priority under 35 U.S.C. § 120 based on International Patent Application No. PCT/FR02/00044, filed January 8, 2002. Applicant also claims the right right to priority under 35 U.S.C. § 119 based on French Patent Application No. 01 00180, filed January 8, 2001, in France, and French Patent Application No. 01 12733, filed October 3, 2001, in France.

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The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional filing fees due and any other fees due under 37 C.F.R. § 1.16 or § 1.17 during the pendency of this application to our Deposit Account No. 06-0916.

Respectfully submitted,

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